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Re:

SN 09/941,165 "PULSED MULTILINE EXCITATION FOR COLOR-BLIND

FLUORESCENCE DETECTION" by Graham B. I. Scott, et al.

Our Ref: BAYM:002US; Client Ref. OTA 01-72

#### Commissioner:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

- 1. Response to Restriction Requirement Dated February 20, 2004; and
- 2. A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please date stamp and mail this postcard.

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: PULSED-MULTILINE EXCITATION

FOR COLOR-BLIND FLUORESCENCE

**DETECTION** 

Group Art Unit: 2851

Examiner: Magda Cruz

Atty. Dkt. No.: BAYM:002US

### RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED FEBRUARY 20, 2004

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### Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 20, 2004 for which the date for response is March 22, 2004, since the March 20, 2004 due date fell on Saturday.

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In response to the restriction requirement which the Examiner imposed, Applicants elect, without traverse, to prosecute Group I, *i.e.*, claims 1-60.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at (512) 536-3018 with any questions, comments or suggestions relating to the referenced patent application.

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